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## Death List in Gates Mine Explosion 25; Bodies of All But One Removed

That Not Recovered Located  
Under State Fall in  
Blast Area.

### FALLS MENACE RESCUERS

Becomes Necessary to Halt Operations  
From Mine Entrance and Work  
From Edgemoor Opening Only Two  
Americans Among Those Killed.

The death toll in the explosion  
Thursday morning in the Gates mine  
of the H. C. Frick Coke Company  
stands at 25. All others have been ac-  
counted for.

Of the dead, the bodies of 24 were  
recovered and the remaining one has  
been located under a fall of roof slate  
and coal.

Stations bodies were recovered  
Thursday. This morning at 4 o'clock  
six more were brought to the sur-  
face, at 10 o'clock another and at 11  
the eighth of the day.

Owing to danger from further falls  
of the roof, the rescue workers were  
compelled to give up operations from  
the Gates entrance and enter the mine  
from the Edgemoor opening.

The names of only two Americans  
appear in the list of the dead. They  
are Martin J. Brennan of Connellsville  
and Thomas Henry of Edgemoor.

Not a person escaped from that sec-  
tion of the mine in which the explosion  
occurred.

Official identification of the bodies,  
all of which were taken to the morgue  
of H. A. Johnston at Marietta, was  
under way today. That of Mr. Bren-  
nan was established by his brother,  
James A. Brennan, of Connellsville  
Thursday afternoon. Great care is  
being exercised in the work of iden-  
tification.

Coroner S. H. Baum viewed the  
bodies this afternoon. When the in-  
quest will be held has not been an-  
nounced.

A large floral wreath, purchased by  
the coke company, has been placed  
in each casket.

Every indication points to the men  
having been asphyxiated. Several  
were found with handkerchiefs in  
their hands as if to place them to their  
mouths and noses. Indications were  
that others had slipped their hands  
from their mouths and noses and  
that they were unable to prevent asphyxiation.

It is believed that some of the men  
had finished their work and were  
moving the mine when the explosion  
came.

Backfiring of a shot, which ignited  
gas, is held by mine experts to have  
been the cause of the disaster.

The explosion occurred in Butt 19,  
about two miles from the entrance to  
the mine.

No time was lost after the alarm  
and been given in organizing rescue  
workers to begin the work of removal  
of the men from the mine. Superin-  
tendent Samuel W. Brown, Patrick  
J. Brown, chief inspector, State Mine  
inspector E. E. O'Neil taking charge.

President W. H. O'Connell, Clay  
Lynch, assistant superintendent, and  
V. C. Hood, general superintendent,  
were among those who were  
early on the scene.

Rescue workers were gathered from  
all parts of the coke region.

Mrs. Brown, wife of the Gates su-  
perintendent, organized a staff of women  
and began serving hot coffee and  
sandwiches to the rescue workers.  
They did efficient work, men about the  
late testify.

W. P. Shoenk, general secretary of  
the Fayette County Red Cross, visited  
the mine and offered the Red Cross  
in whatever capacity it  
might be needed.

The bodies brought out at 4 o'clock  
today were those of James Pagnella,  
a Popson, Steve Popson, Nick Ste-  
anic, Artie De Corceina and Andy  
Swabick.

At 10 o'clock the body of Peter  
Lalik was found and an hour later  
that of Mike Chukovitch. The body re-  
maining in the mine is that of Elmer  
Talic.

Those recovered yesterday were  
Martin J. Brennan, Thomas Horan,  
Joe Hrabec, John Gadokevich, Andy  
Copolar, Tony Studylar, Joe Smash,  
John Maribich, James Argenti, Albert  
Petrelia, Valentin Kopicka, Nick Ra-  
bits, Andy Roppella, Mike Yourchusky,  
John Dallagallo and John Chubela.

**WIRE CAUSE FIRE**  
Flames at Coldstone Home Are Quickly  
Extinguished.

Fire yesterday evening did some  
damage at the home of Sol Goldstone,  
a Vlas street, when crossed wires in  
the basement ignited the wood work  
and the flames ate their way between  
the walls to the attic.

The fire department was called and  
quickly controlled the flames, confin-  
ing them to the narrow passage and  
extinguishing the loss. Had the fire  
continued at night it might have gained  
considerable headway before being  
discovered. The damage was not  
heavy although much of the lath work  
was practically destroyed.

**Boddy Sentenced to Chair.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Father Boddy,  
who killed two police detectives on  
January 2, was today sentenced to  
be in the electric chair at Sing Sing  
during the week of March 12.

### Funeral of M. J. Brennan Probably Will Be Monday

Martin J. Brennan, Connellsville  
young man killed in the explosion  
Thursday morning in the Gates mine,  
had been employed at that plant since  
last October. Before that time he was  
with the Frick Hardware Company  
of Connellsville and previously had  
been employed by the H. C. Frick Coke  
Company at Edgemoor and Trotter. He  
was a son of Joe Brennan, Blackstone  
road, West Side. His mother, Mrs.  
Bridget Kennedy Brennan, died Feb-  
ruary 4, 1912. His father has since  
remarried.

Mr. Brennan served 22 months in  
France with the 13th Cavalry during  
the World War.

The unfortunate young man was 25  
years old. He was born in England  
but had been in this country since a  
small boy, the family first locating at  
Trotter. He was a member of the  
Immaculate Conception Roman Catho-  
lic Church and of Youghiogheny Coun-  
cil of the Knights of Columbus.

The only surviving member of the  
family besides his father and step-  
mother, Mrs. Catherine Brennan, is a  
brother, James A. Brennan, who iden-  
tified the body Thursday afternoon at  
Johnson's morgue at Marietta. The  
brother was accompanied by Rev. L.  
D. McNamee, assistant rector of the  
Immaculate Conception Church.

Arrangements were being made by  
Funeral Director J. E. Sims to bring  
the body to Connellsville this after-  
noon. The funeral will probably be  
Monday morning.

Mr. Brennan would have been ready  
to leave the mine within 30 minutes  
after the time he was killed, his brother  
said.

**BOMB LEFT BY  
VILLA TAKES  
LIVES OF FIVE**

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 3.—Five chil-  
dren were killed while playing in the  
Cruz de Calvario school yard in Her-  
mosillo, Mex., when one attempted to  
extract powder from a bomb left there  
when Francisco Villa's force stormed  
the town, according to a dispatch re-  
ceived today in San Antonio.

**Howitzer Company  
Will Be In Camp  
From August 5-19**

HARRISBURG, Feb. 3.—Dates for  
the 15 day training period of the  
various organizations of the Pennsylv-  
ania National Guard at Mount Grei-  
na, Tobyhanna and Camp Meade have  
been selected by Major General Wil-  
liam C. Price, Jr., and Adjutant Gen-  
eral Beary and approved by the Third  
Corps Area Headquarters. At Fort  
Howard, Md. The four day camp of in-  
struction for officers will be held at  
Mount Gretna June 11 to 17 inclusive.  
General Beary says the attendance is  
to be voluntary.

The encampment plans for Mount  
Gretna are July 22 to August 5, 28th  
Division Headquarters, 56th Infantry  
Regiment including 11th and 12th In-  
fantry, 72nd Cavalry Brigade, 32nd  
Machine Gun Squadron.

August 5 to 19—28th Division Head-  
quarters, 28th Division Trains, 28th  
Division special troops less tank com-  
pany, 57th Infantry Brigade, includ-  
ing 108th and 110th Infantry, 103rd  
122nd Engineers, and 105th Medical  
Regiment.

The Howitzer Company, located  
here, is a unit of the 110th Infantry.

**Hommes Initiate  
Candidates and  
Name Officers**

Local Volume No. 18, La Societe des  
40 Hommes of St. Charles of Fayette  
county reorganized for the year 1922  
following its "long through France".  
at Madras Hall last night. There were  
a number of new members put  
through and then the election of two  
officers, for positions which had been  
left vacant by the regular election,  
took place.

Irving M. Snow, an organizer of the  
local volume, was named as chief de-  
gare and Thomas W. Scott, another  
prime mover in the organization, was  
elected conductor.

The new initiation of the volume has  
proved an attractive drawing card and  
when the truth pulls out "for Barde-  
duc" all present hold their sides and  
the "P. G.'s" hold their breath. The  
next "boyage" will be held the latter  
part of this month.

**Lehigh Shops Burned.**  
JERSEY CITY, Feb. 3.—Fire ex-  
tinguished the Lehigh Valley railroad  
supply and repair shops here today.  
The loss was estimated at \$200,000.  
Detectives were of the opinion that  
the fire was of incendiary origin.

**Recovers From Illness.**  
J. Herbert Richter, head housekeeper  
at the Tri-State Land Company of-  
fices here, has returned to work after  
being off ill for several days.

### Sidelights on Mine Disaster

Normally, it was said, 300 men are  
employed in the Gates mine. This  
day was lay-off day and thus the pos-  
sible toll of death was reduced to a  
minimum.

Charles Irwin of Star Junction had  
been home for several days at a visit.  
He had returned for work but was re-  
fused a lamp until he had seen the  
foreman. He was unable to find the  
foreman in time to get into the mine.

Samuel W. Brown, superintendent at  
Gates, is a brother-in-law of resident  
W. H. O'Connell of the H. C. Frick  
Coke Company. He is a brother of  
Mrs. O'Connell. He is also a brother  
of H. G. Brown, superintendent of the  
Davidson plant of the Frick company.

Thomas Horne, day foreman, agreed  
to work double shift for good or bad  
and gave up his life as a result.  
Horne's home is at Edgemoor.

The Gates plant is one of the large  
ones of the Frick company. The shaft is  
685 feet deep. The underground  
system connects with Edgemoor and  
Lambert plants. Gates is an exten-  
sive coal operation, the product be-  
ing hauled underground to a dipper-  
along the Monongahela river.

Operations were resumed today at  
the Edgemoor plant. Mr. W. D. Lave-  
been at work at Gates but for the fact  
that there were no barges for hauling  
the coal. Only a portion of the mine  
was wrecked by the explosion. It will  
be gone this before it can be cleared.

Edward E. Burton, chief of the State  
Bureau of Mines, was expected to ar-  
rive at Gates this afternoon in in-  
vestigating the mine explosion of Thurs-  
day.

**Local Coal Producers  
Report the Market as  
Becoming More Active**

The coal market is beginning to  
show signs of broadening. Local pro-  
ducers engaged in mining in different sec-  
tions of the country report no de-  
mand although there is no appreciable  
change in prices.

At present the movement out of the  
Indiana Creek Valley shows great im-  
provement, than elsewhere. All com-  
panies in West Virginia and Pennsyl-  
vania are taking on more work.

The Connell and Butternut com-  
panies have sold the output of all their  
operations for the month of February.  
Other producers report a noticeable  
stimulation in the market; they have  
been supplying on a very more re-  
stricted scale.

**Struble and His  
Men Early on Job  
At the Gates Mine**

Mine Inspector John L. Struble of  
Connellsville and the effect to face tag  
No. 1 rescue team, "Struble's Five",  
were early on the scene following the  
explosion at Gates Thursday morning  
and have been there continuously since.

Among the members of the team is  
Albert Smith, center for the "Pro-  
tector" basketball team, who was unable  
to play in the game with the Arce-  
can Legion last night as a result.  
Frank Shabaky is another "Pro-  
tector" member of the team.

**MOORE MEMORIAL REVIVAL**  
Will Be Conducted, Beginning Sunday,  
By Rev. Ormon.

Special evangelistic services will be  
held in the Moore Memorial United  
Brethren Church beginning Sunday  
evening, February 5. The pastor, Rev.  
E. E. Ormon, assisted by his wife,  
will be his own evangelist and will  
have charge of the services through-  
out. His aid for Sunday evening  
will be W. H. H. H. H.

Mrs. Ormon will give special ser-  
mons, object lessons for the children  
and will also give talks to the women  
and girls, while the pastor will also  
have special messages for men. At-  
tention will also be given to mu-  
sic. Arrangements are under way to have  
a children's choir and possibly a male  
quartet. Mrs. Ormon will sing a  
solo Sunday evening and it is the  
object of those in charge to have  
special music throughout the meet-  
ings.

**RATE IS UPHELD**  
McKeeney Complaint Against West  
Penn Company Is Dismissed.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 3.—The Public  
Service Commission has dismissed a  
complaint of the City of McKeesport  
against rates of the West Penn Rail-  
ways Company in which the company  
was given opportunity to maintain a  
tariff for a year and file a statement.

The commission says the statement  
shows the company is not receiving  
more than a fair revenue with allow-

**Cottage Prayer Services.**  
A cottage prayer service will be held  
at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ober of  
North Eighth street, West Side.

### DON'T FAIL TO CLIP COUPON ON PAGE 8 TODAY

The Proctor & Gamble Company's  
special full-page advertisement on  
Page 8 of The Courier today en-  
dorses 50 cents worth of Proctor &  
Gamble products for 25 cents. The  
coupons readers are asked to clip are  
worth 25 cents each.

This unique campaign is being  
conducted all over the country. It is  
being advertised in the Connellsville  
edition in The Courier exclusively and  
is meeting with tremendous success,  
here and elsewhere.

Readers of The Courier are request-  
ed to turn to Page 8 for full particu-  
lars. Proctor & Gamble dealers every-  
where will redeem the coupons.

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last evening at the local Y. M. C. A.,  
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Money Does Not Figure, Says Former  
Confidante, Girl, Whose  
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Mrs. Marion Ream Stephens, 45, mer-  
chant, 1111, whose engagement to  
Anastase Andreievich Vonsiat hoy-Von-  
plasky, a former Russian nobleman,  
now employed as a laborer in the Ed-  
gemoor plant of the Baldwin Locomo-  
tive Works at Philadelphia, will be  
married tomorrow at 1 o'clock in New  
York.

"Happiness," she said, "is not a  
question of money. Money has nothing  
to do with my marriage, one way  
or another. We shall live simply, in  
accordance with my husband's posi-  
tion, although we are not going to live  
in precisely the kind of a work man-  
ner's cottage described as typical of  
Russia."

"The man I am going to marry is  
older than his years. The experience  
he has gone through, particularly  
those in the service of General Don-  
kine and Baron Wrangel, broadened  
and developed him beyond his years.  
I have always been sympathetic with  
Russia and Russians. His people, I  
think, have been such," she smiled  
for a word, "such good sport."

Her fiancé is aged 23, and Mrs.  
Stephens is 45.

At the time I met him Anastase  
was already planning to come to  
America, and shortly after I secured  
he came over and visited me and his  
mother in New York," she said. "She  
said that time I have seen much of him."

"His life has been tragic. His father  
was a chief of the gendarmes at  
Warsaw, and was killed by revolution-  
aries in 1910. He does not know  
what happened to other members of  
his family. He fled to Constantinople,  
and when discharged from the army,  
came to Paris, where I met him."

Mrs. Stephens said that Vonsiat hoy-  
Vonsiatky is, like his father, an ex-  
ponent of the Bolsheviks, which was con-  
firmed by the Bolsheviks, and is, from  
one of the oldest and wealthiest fami-  
lies of the old regime.

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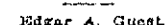
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By MORRIS

Philadelphia Ledger.

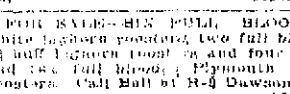
United States, Great Britain and Japan concerning fortifications in the Pacific Ocean.

Joseph Kaplich, 32 years old, died Thursday in the Uniontown Hospital from a fractured skull and fractured ribs suffered in a fall of slate in the Thompson No. 3 mine.



blades. We help and sharpen them just as gentle as if they were an ordinary razor. Don't throw away dull blades. He was. Bring them to us; we can save you over 25 per cent. R. V. HENNING, Agent, 125 South Pittsburg St., Con-

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any, sell and deal in, either wholly or in part, any of the following: (1) opium, opiate, morphine, cocaine, and accessories, or for these purposes to have and possess, or to employ all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements, Goldsmith, John, 1000 1/2 St. Louis, Mo., 1912-13.

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## SIX ARRESTS IN LIQUOR RAID AT MOUNT PLEASANT

Is Conducted by County Detective Paul Feighner, Westmoreland Co.

### ANOTHER HELD FOR COURT

Special to The Courier. MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 3.—Yesterday information was made before Justice of the Peace L. S. Rhodes by County Detective Paul Feighner, following a raid by a squad of men made over the town, against Adam Forbush, Alex. Joseph, Alex. Graham, George Graham, Mike Kopita and the firm of Saloom & Santos. They are charged with selling intoxicating liquor. The hearing has been set for February 22.

On Wednesday evening a hearing was held before Justice of the Peace L. S. Rhodes, on information by Joseph White, charging Mike Coppola with selling liquor illegally. Mike Coppola held Coppola for court under \$500 bail. Coppola sold a quart of moonshine to a man for \$2, according to evidence presented at the hearing. Coppola was arrested once before and was paroled for two years.

Two Locals on Rescue Team. Mount Pleasant again came to the front when the H. C. Frick Mine Rescue team from this end of the region was being made up. Two from Mount Pleasant were on the team. The team was composed of Thomas Blackburn, representing Standard mines; Thomas Hales, United; Thomas Farrell, Canine; Mike Mondrano, Mammoth; Christ Hough, Bargaloy, and W. J. Myslenki, Morewood.

M. E. Aid Society. Mrs. Walter Stark was Justice yesterday to the Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church at her home in Washington street. Following the business session refreshments were served.

Sawmill Man Injured. Alva Shaffer, who was employed as a sawmill near Alto postoffice, was brought to the Memorial Hospital here yesterday with a fractured leg.

Friendly Society. The Friendly Society held its regular weekly meeting in the Elks Club room yesterday afternoon.

Martin Madden Dies. Martin Madden, 65 years old, died at his home in Silver street, Wednesday night, following a lingering illness. His wife and the following children survive: Dr. J. R. Madden, Mount Pleasant; Mrs. Joseph Ames, Detroit; Martin Madden, Fairchance; Joseph and Patrick Madden, children; Mary, Katherine, Agnes, Thomas and Cecelia Madden, at home. Requiem high mass will be held Saturday morning at St. Joseph Church and interment will follow in the St. Joseph's Cemetery.

### GIRLS! USE LEMONS TO WHITEN HANDS

Press the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well, and you have a quartet of harmless and delicious lemon-bleach lotion to so long and whiten red, rough or chapped hands. This home-made lemon lotion is far superior to glycerine and rose water to smoothen the skin. Famous stage beauties use it to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion, because it doesn't irritate.—Advertisement.

### DUNBAR COMMUNITY MOURNS DEATH OF BELOVED TEACHER

Special to The Courier. DUNBAR, Feb. 3.—The death of Miss Mary Belle Bowden Monday morning came as a severe shock to the entire community, and is a distinct loss to Dunbar, to the church and to the public school of which she had been so long a faithful, conscientious teacher, radiating with the first class in the borough schools. She at once began teaching and was a marked success from the very start. Many pupils who were fortunate enough to have had her for an instructor are sincerely mourning the loss of a teacher whose touch upon their lives was always to be felt. Upon her her they would lay their tokens of love moistened with tears of genuine sorrow. Her place in the schoolroom will be hard to fill for place in the hearts of her pupils can never be filled. But those who mourn sorrow not as those without hope, for they know the Master she so faithfully served has but called her from labor to reward. To her heartbroken sister, as faithful and successful in the school room and church as the one summoned, the deep sympathy of the entire community.

### SLOAN'S EASES PAIN RELIEVES THE ACHE

TORMENTING, agonizing rheumatic aches are quickly relieved by Sloan's Liniment. Apply it freely and enjoy a comforting sense of warmth. It penetrates without rubbing. Go to for sciatica, lumbago, neuralgia, over-exerted muscles, stiff joints, neuralgic pains, back-aches, sprains and strains. Don't let pain lay you up. Keep Sloan's Liniment handy and at the first sign of an ache or pain, use it, for it certainly does produce results. All druggists—35c, 70c, \$1.40.

**Sloan's Liniment** (Rains enemy)

## DAVIDSON'S

We Will Save You Money

Strained Honey, 1 pound jar ..... 35c  
Peanut Butter, 1 pound ball ..... 20c  
Extra Good Sugar Corn, 3 cans ..... 25c  
Early June Peas, 2 cans ..... 25c  
Silver Lake Pumpkin, a can ..... 17c  
Karo Syrup, blue label, a can ..... 10c  
Karo Syrup, Red Label, a can ..... 12c  
Fancy Rio Coffee, a pound ..... 17c  
Fancy Santos Coffee, a pound ..... 25c  
Pure Cocoa (loose), a pound ..... 10c  
Premier Corn Flakes, package ..... 8c  
Premier Rolled Oats, a package ..... 10c

Medium sized Prunes, 2 pounds ..... 25c  
Large Prunes, a pound ..... 18c  
Pineapple Peaches, a pound ..... 25c  
Pineapple Apples, a pound ..... 32c  
Pineapple Muir Peaches, a pound ..... 23c  
Marrowfat Beans, 3 pounds ..... 25c  
Graham Flour, 5 lb. sack ..... 35c  
Ryzon Baking Powder, 1 lb. can ..... 30c  
Troy Milk, large cans ..... 10c  
Noxall Furniture Polish, bottle ..... 35c  
Hubbard's Spring Maid Flour, sack, \$1.20  
Lilac Flour, a sack ..... \$1.15

Strictly Fresh Eggs, dozen - - - - - 50c  
Procter & Gamble Coupons Redeemed Here.

### AT OUR MEAT COUNTER

Fresh Pork Shoulders, whole, a pound ..... 14c  
Fresh Spare Ribs, a pound ..... 18c  
Dry Salt Side, lean, 6 pounds ..... \$1.00  
Sugar Cured Bacon, 5 pounds ..... \$1.00

We Carry a Full Line of Chilpak Fish Every Week. Also Dressed Chickens At All Times.

## J. R. Davidson Company

"THE STORE THAT DOES THINGS FOR YOU."

It goes out in a tenderness that may not be measured.

"Hip Van Winkle" was quite an attraction to Dunbar people last week. Among others who were delighted with the play were Mrs. H. Koffer, George Leopold, Mrs. J. L. Koffer and daughter Ruth, Mrs. C. W. Baker and Mrs. H. L. Brown.

Quite a number of Pechin and Koffer girls are employed at the silk mill at Connelville, and all are making good. The girls seem better able to secure employment than the men, as a large number of men in this section are without employment.

Pechin chapel now has a bell to call to worship, and it is quite an addition to the building. The bell was secured from Mount Independence school, North Union township, it having served for many years at that building.

When the school building was remodelled and made a modern four-room school the old bell was turned off and left by the roadside out of service. Principal J. L. Koffer of that school secured it for Pechin chapel and its musical tones ring out now every Sunday to call the people to Sunday school. Last Sunday was the first time it was put into service.

Mrs. Arthur Kennedy of Hill Farm and her friend, Mrs. J. V. Shockey of Connelville, spent Friday last with Mrs. Frances Weymer of Ferguson.

Mrs. Lada Leaman Twier and family of Altoon were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lehman of Keffers on Sunday.

Mrs. Frances Weymer, son Clyde and daughter, Mrs. Evaline Fry, of Ferguson were visiting Mrs. William Abbott of Dickerson Run on Sunday.

John M. Miller and family have moved from Ferguson road to Mahoning.

P. R. engines were responsible for fires on Mount Braddock farm and on the old Courtney farm north of Ferguson Monday. The fire burned over a considerable area, but did little damage further than to burn the dead grass and weeds and the corn stalks. They were put out shortly after being discovered.

Thomas Jase who had been suffering from rheumatism for some weeks, is much better and able to go about his work.

Miss Madeline Miller of Dickerson Run was the guest of Miss Margaret Senior of Keffers last week-end.

Miss Mary Hardy, teacher of Irish-town school, was visiting on Ferguson road Sunday.

Mrs. David Cole of Keffers was calling in Connelville Monday.

Try our classified advertisements.

### Believed the Three-Company Steel Merger Has Fallen Through

In Pittsburgh steel circles it is believed that the three-company merger project has followed the seven-company project into the discard. The three-company project involved Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company, Steel & Tube Company of America and Inland Steel Company.

These were the remnants of the seven-company group after three had been dropped Republic Iron & Steel Company, Hiler Hill Company, Lackawanna Steel Company and Midvale Steel & Ordnance Company.

Conference of Industrial Surgeons. Industrial physicians and surgeons of Pennsylvania will meet in annual conference at Philadelphia February 10.

### LABOR SITUATION CONCERNS ALL COAL MINING INDUSTRY

Not the Union Fields Alone, Says Leading Central Penna. Operator.

### LATTER UNDER HANDICAP

In his recent address before the Westmoreland Coal Club at Greensburg, Thomas H. Watkins, president of the Pennsylvania Coal & Coke Corporation, declared that the union mine labor situation concerns the entire coal mining industry, whether in the union or non-union fields.

"Some of you in the non-union fields may think that you are not particularly concerned with the conflict that is imminent through the fact that the present wage agreement of the United Mine Workers of America and the union operators expires on April 1," said Mr. Watkins.

"To those who hold that view I would say that they are directly interested."

"The only protection this country has today from complete domination and control of the industry by organized labor lies in the fact that the non-union mines of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Alabama, and a few small outlying sections, are in the condition they are, and that they are maintaining through bitter struggles and hard trials their right to employ their labor upon such terms as may be agreed upon without the influence of the professional labor leader."

"A wage condition which results in a variation in costs at the mines, to the same extent as the cost of the same freight rates of as much as one dollar a ton, and on the average of one dollar a ton, and on the average of one dollar a ton, is a condition which results in the diverting of tonnage from one mine to another in the same district and from one district to another. This has gone on to a remarkable degree already; it does in one district, work in another; it does in one, a reasonable living in another."

"Non-union mines are free to make such adjustments as are necessary to meet changes in economic and competitive conditions, and make them in months ago. Union mines, through the system of collective bargaining, and especially today through conditions forced upon them by government intervention and commissions, are under the handicap of a contract expiring April 1."

"A stable and equitable wage rate, with variations for living and working conditions in various districts, is the only way to avoid the destructive, but how can such a condition be brought about? I do not know. But one thing is certain, that the union operators of central Pennsylvania, of Pittsburgh, of Ohio, and of some other sections cannot, without committing financial suicide, agree in advance to abide by the award of any commission that does not leave each district on an equal basis with other producing districts."

"Any law or commission that attempts to do this, as the Bituminous Coal Commission did, upon one group of men a contract which leaves the other group free to act as they consider for their best interests, will, in my judgment, prove a failure, and in that direction you will not find a solution."

"It behooves us, both union and non-union operators, to seek a solution of the problems before us, which will safeguard the interests of capital, and which will deal with the interests of our labor equitably, and one which will convince the public that we are handling the problem on broad, conservative lines."

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### SKIRT STYLES FOR CHILDREN

Popular Rule is to Make Garment Short; Low Waistline Favored by Majority.

The question of skirt length has not been a disturbing one in styles for children as it has in those for grown-ups this season, the popular rule being to make garments for juveniles abbreviated as to length.

Up to the age of fourteen there is no rule in regard to waistline placing, the somewhat imaginary point being high, normal or low, according to the figure of the child. The girl of four, however, finds the low waistline favored in her frocks and many little-children dresses that are practically replicas of those approved for women are worn by these young girls.

Ought to Register It. "Careful business man, isn't he?" "Careful? Why, say, once I heard him pay a young lady a compliment, and he automatically added, 'Will you kindly give me a receipt?'"

### Soothes and Heals

No need suffering any more with eczema. A. Charles guarantees that a 15-cent ointment does not relieve you, he will pay for it himself. Advertise next.

CONNELL & DULL  
Moving and General Hauling  
Coal 12c, 14c and 16c Per Bushel, Delivered.  
Tel-State 817.

DeHaven Coal Co.  
Custom Coal Delivered  
10c a Bushel  
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Stop Your Kicking  
No one worries about your Bald Head? Because it's your own trouble. If you are skeptical, forget it for 90 days and try

BARE-TO-HAIR  
Drug Stores, Barber Shops and Hair Dressers.

### M. W. ALTER

Representing the old reliable tailoring and uniform house,  
The Fockelmeier Tailoring Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio.

All goods and workmanship guaranteed. We make all kinds of Clothing—Civilian and Uniform. Display room—the Army Store.

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Every load of coal weighed before leaving yard which guarantees our customers full measure. See list dated daily.

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## Saturday Bargains—After Inventory Sale

Pay Cash and Pay Less!

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THE BIG STORE

Your Money Cheerfully Refunded

## Choice of Any Boys' Suit in the House

One Pair

Full Lined

Pants.

Well Made

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Throughout,

8 to 15 Years.

One Day

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Regular

\$8.95 to

\$12.95 Values,

Choice \$5.

Men's \$2.00 Dress or Work

PANTS

\$1.29

All Sizes.

Men's \$1.50 Dress

PANTS

\$2.98

All Wool.

Men's \$1.75

JEAN PANTS

\$1.00

Cheaper Than Overalls.

## Shoe Specials for Saturday in Our UNDERSELLING SHOE DEPT



New Spring Oxfords and Pat Strap Slippers

\$2.96



Dressy, women's Brown and Black Oxfords, Shoes and Patent 3-Strap Slippers, Cuban and Military heels, all sizes, extra special for Saturday, \$2.96.

### Little Gents' Dress Shoes

Black and brown, knicker-style for strong wear, extra serviceable, special for Saturday

\$1.96



### Misses' Dress Shoes

Brown and black lace shoes, real high tops, for the young miss, sizes to a large 2, special for Saturday.

\$1.96



### Women's Slippers and Oxfords

Brown and black kid slippers and Oxfords, military rubber heel, Dressy, Black Kid One-Strap Slippers, covered Louis heels, wonderful value, will be sold Saturday

\$1.96



### Stitchdown

For boys' and girls' black and brown Stitchdowns, sizes to 2 regular \$2.00 values, special for Saturday

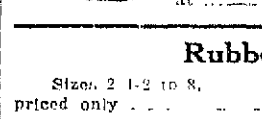
96c



### Children's \$2 Shoes

Neat Brown, Button Shoe for the children. They come with a wedged heel, sizes to 8, special for Saturday

96c



### Women's Boots

Dressy Boots in black kid leather, Louis heels, regular \$5.00 values, special for Saturday

\$1.96



### Rubbers

Sizes 2-12 to 8, priced only

66c



### Tennis Slippers

For the boys and girls, at

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### Car Loadings Show Big Increase During Second Week of Year

Car loadings for the week ending January 14 totaled 720,877, an increase of 114,885 cars over the preceding week. The total was also an increase of 5,022 cars over the corresponding week in 1931, but 11,947 less than the same week of 1930.

The loading of merchandise and miscellaneous freight amounted to 17,681 cars, an increase over the week before of 41,892 cars and 27,428 cars more than were loaded during the corresponding week in 1931. It was, however, 57,460 less than were loaded during the same week in 1930.

Coal also showed an increase of 32,263 cars over the previous week, the total being 187,246 cars, or 23,651 cars less than during the same week of 1931.

See our classified advertisements

## CASCARETS 10¢

For Constipated Bowels, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Bilious Liver

The newest natural laxative in the world to physic your liver and bowels while you sleep. "They work when you have dirty headache, colds, biliousness, indigestion or upset stomach. It is ready-made 'Cascarets' One or two tonight will empty your bowels completely by morning, and you will feel splendid. 'They work while you sleep.' (Cascarets never tire you up, a pinch like salts, pills, or doses, or oil and they cost only 10 cents a box. Children love Cascarets too. Advertisement.

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NOTARY PUBLIC  
113 West Street,  
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Licenses of All Kinds Secured.  
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Coal 12c Per Bushel  
Six Foot Yelm—C. O. D.  
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## A SPECIAL FOOD FOR OLD PEOPLE

A Great Discovery Made at a Well Known Medical College to Ward Off Feebleness in Old Age.

There has been a good deal of discussion lately in regard to old people—some at 50 call themselves old and really appear so, while others at 70 years seem active, vigorous and young. We see it illustrated every day, all around us. It is not years, but loss of vital force, probably caused by mal-nutrition, that makes a person seem old. Weakened digestion, thin blood and poor circulation soon start vitality on the wane.

Therefore we feel free to say, every man and woman who feels old, whether they are 40 or 70, will be interested to know that for some time the medical profession has been recommending dietetic treatment for such weak, feeble, nervous conditions.

Now nutritional science has come to the rescue, and for the first time since we have conducted a drug store we are able to furnish you a remedy that has been tested and approved by a professor of physiological chemistry at one of America's greatest medical colleges, known as SUSTO Nutritive Tonic Tablets. They have really proved a wonderful discovery to ward off the feeble conditions of old age and keep one active and well. They supply in concentrated form the strength and life-giving elements of yeast, rice, eggs, milk, with beef, protein and iron which are lacking in our daily food. They are easily digested and give one a hearty appetite, promote sound sleep, and impart strength and vitality to every organ of the body. We guarantee SUSTO. For sale by the Laughrey Drug Co.—Advertisement.

## SHOP TRACK MEN AT DICKERSON RUN ON PIECE WORK

Special to The Courier.

DAWSON, Feb. 2.—The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie shop track men have been out on a piece-work basis at Dickerson Run. This became effective February 1. Twelve men who had been unattached on the shop track have been recalled to their work.

Miss Katharine Van Horn, who has been furloughed the past few months, has been recalled to her work at the yard office at Dickerson Run.

Mrs. Wilson Boers is home from a few days' visit with friends and relatives in Youngstown.

Mrs. Isaac Bush is home from a few days' visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Durbin, Pittsburgh.

Earl Porter was a recent business caller at Uniontown.

The Dawson boys won two out of three games from the Railroad team to the Y. M. C. A. Bowling League Wednesday night.

Mrs. Thomas Stark and Miss Margaret Ramsler were recent Connelssville callers.

Jack Burdette is home from a few days' visit at Mill Run.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McLaughlin were Pittsburgh visitors the first of the week.

## SAGE AND SULPHUR DARKENS GRAY HAIR

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Restore Color, Gloss and Attractiveness.

Almost every one knows that Sage and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago, the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, at a small cost.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy and attractive.—Advertisement.

## Perryopolis

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb. 2.—Gilbert Fisher and Edward Westfall motored to Harlert Tuesday evening.

Miss Helen Armstrong has taken the position as clerk at Edmund Martin's jewelry store.

Use our classified advertisements. Mrs. S. W. Bryan is visiting relatives at Liberty.

A Sure Cure for your Warts is the use of our Classified Column. Try it.

## A GREAT BOON

There are many mothers, nervous and rundown in vitality, to whom.

Scott's Emulsion

would be a great boon. It's the very genius of Scott's Emulsion to build strength.

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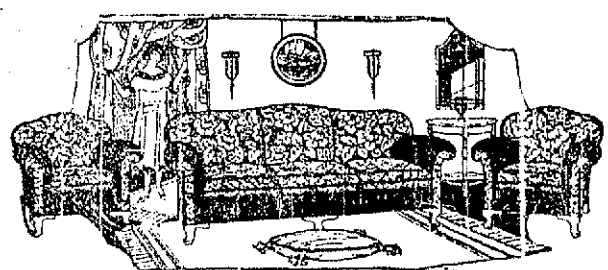
# February Furniture Sale



Our Annual February Sale is Bigger and Better Than Ever Before

The doors of our store open upon the most sensational February Sale in our history! Right through the entire year of 1921 we have been steadily buying and selling merchandise at the declining price levels. In fact our regular prices have been the lowest possible to quote on Furniture of good quality. Now—without restrictions you may have your choice of our vast and enormous stocks of high grade Furniture at these savings. A Bonafide Reduction that brings Furniture prices down to the lowest point in years! It will pay you to be here bright and early tomorrow morning!

## Again We Lead the Way to Lower Prices



Every Living Room Suite Included

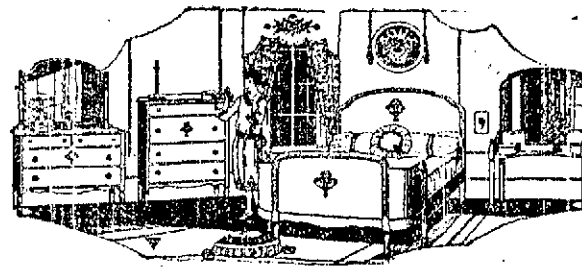
Never before in years has it been possible to buy fine grade, luxuriously made, upholstered living room furniture at such a startling saving! Included in our vast display at this February Sale are splendid three-piece suites upholstered in tapestry, velour combinations. The suite pictured above with loose cushions, spring arms, and backs, and spring edge construction, upholstered in tapestry, is a typical example of the extraordinary values in the sale.

Its Price Complete Is Only - - - \$185.00



Compare the Values

Comparison is the only sure test of a sale. This great money-saving event will stand this test. Prices that were already the lowest are now again reduced from 25 to 45% less.



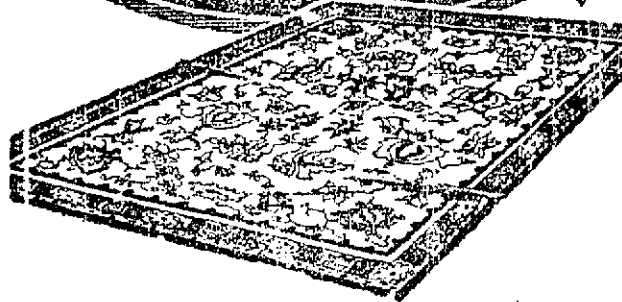
Bedroom Furniture at a Real Sacrifice

Practically every bedroom suite on our sales floors has been purchased in the last four months at the low water mark that was reached during the latter part of 1921. Consequently when we say that you can come in and buy any bedroom suite at exactly 25% less than its regular price, you are getting something! Included are all the very latest period styles and patterns in mahogany, American Walnut, Ivory enamel and other popular finishes. The beautiful four-piece bedroom suite pictured above is a typical example at its low price of

As Low as - - - \$195.00

## Our Annual February Sale

# Rug Prices Slashed



## TOMORROW'S EXTRA SPECIAL!

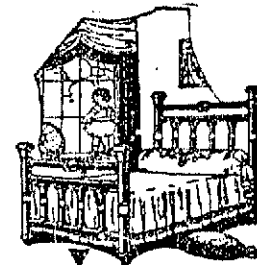
Tomorrow is a day when a single dollar and twenty-nine cents does its full duty in our great February Sale!

We have just 100 Tapestry rugs in the very latest designs, at a tremendous sacrifice! These are rugs which cannot be duplicated elsewhere for this low price.

Be early for first choice of these rug bargains. SPECIAL AT - - - \$1.29

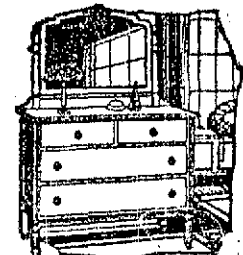
The Rapport-Featherman Company

Opposite McCrory 5 and 10 Cent Store.



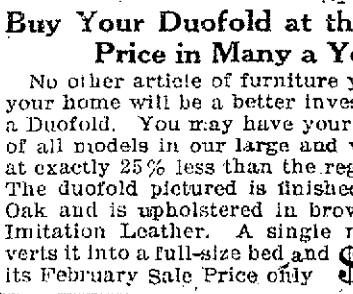
Think of Big Brass Bedsteads at \$17.95

For the first time in many years we can offer massive big brass beds at such a low figure!



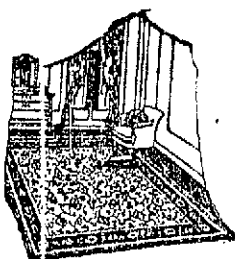
Every Odd Dresser at 25% Discount.

Now is surely the time to buy that odd dresser you have so long been planning on having in your bedroom or placed in your guest chamber. Every odd dresser including the very latest period, or Colonial style now goes on sale at exactly 25% off its former low price. You will find our stock so large and varied you will have no trouble whatever in matching the exact type of bedroom furniture you now own. Prices on these remarkable dressers start as low as - - - \$14.75



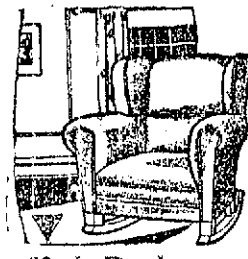
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No other article of furniture you place in your home will be a better investment than a Duofold. You may have your choice now of all models in our large and varied stock at exactly 25% less than the regular prices. The duofold pictured is finished in Golden Oak and is upholstered in brown or black Imitation Leather. A single motion converts it into a full-size bed and its February Sale Price only \$49.50



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This includes floor coverings of all kinds—the very latest patterns and designs in such rugs as Axminsters, Boly Brusses, Velvets, Tapestries, Wiltons, etc. Your unrestricted choice of any rug in the house during our February Sale.



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We have more than 10 different types of overstuffed rockers with spring seats, spring back, big luxurious rockers that you can buy now at exactly 25% discount. Only one or two of each kind, so be early if you want to get first choice of these remarkable rockers. Price starts as low as - - - \$16.50



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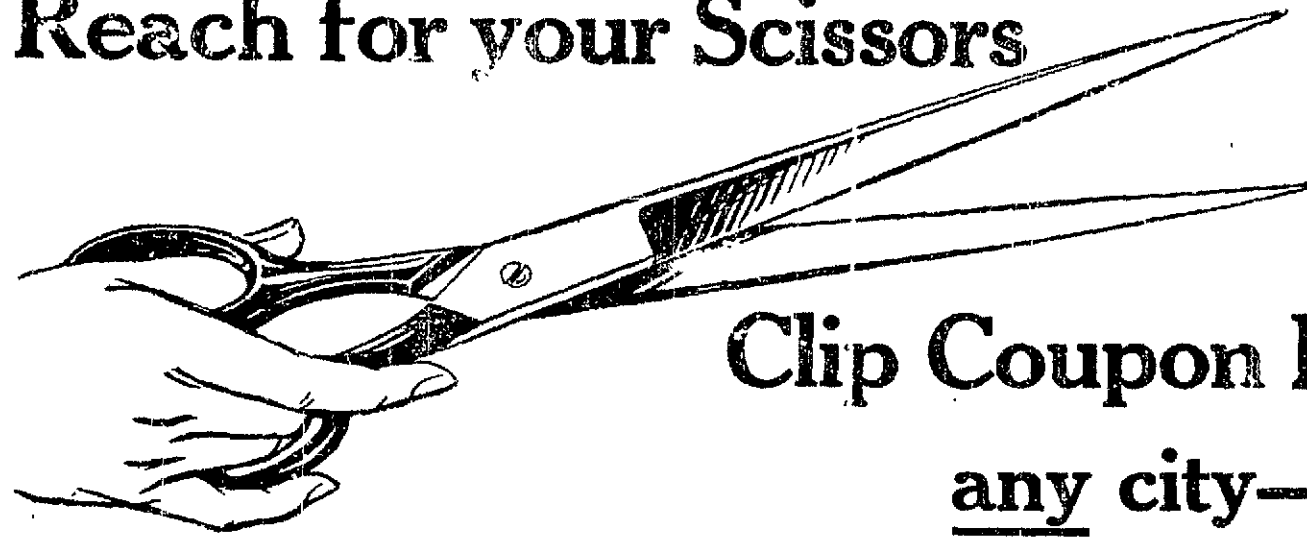
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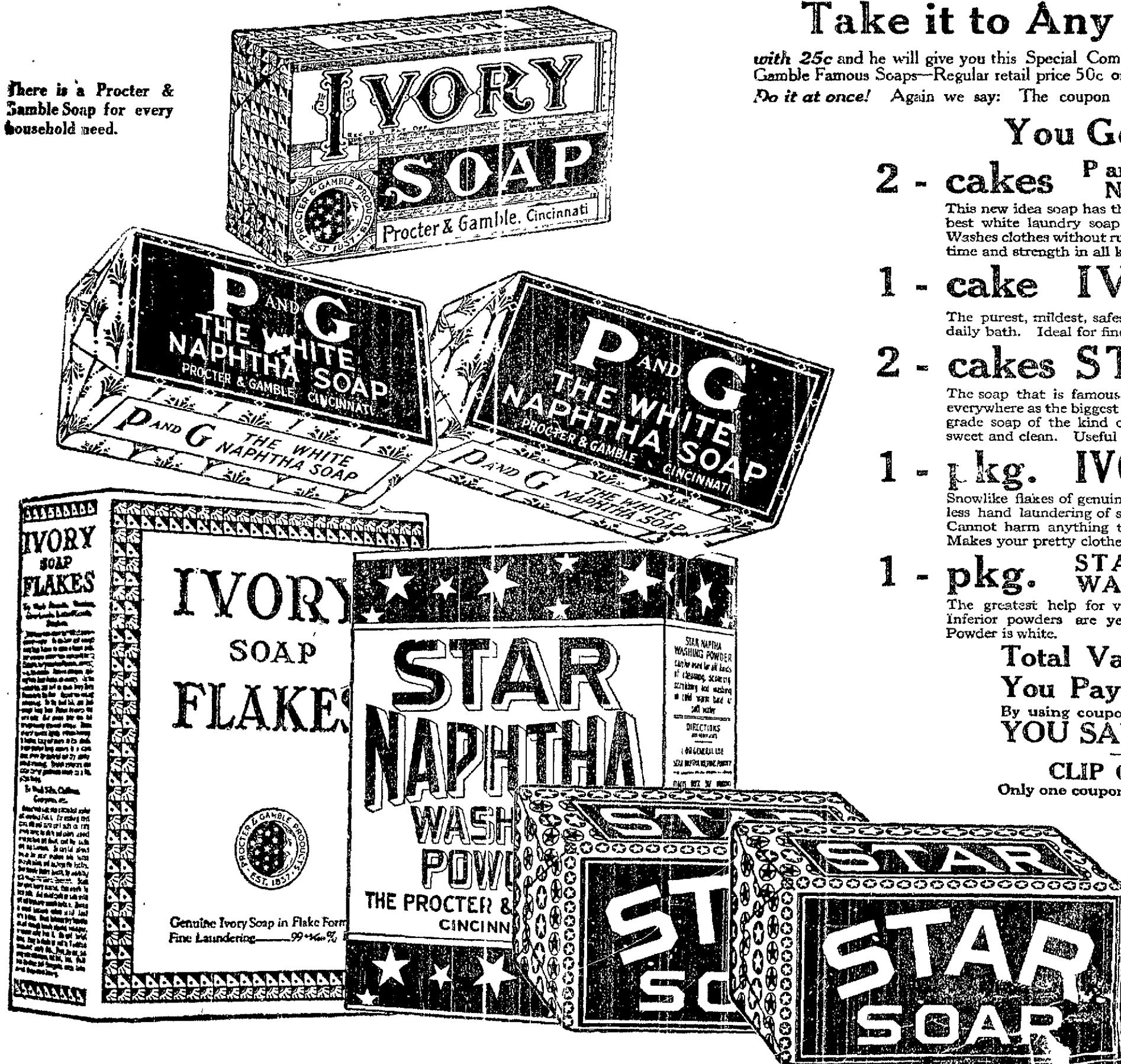
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**Take it to Any Grocer**

with 25c and he will give you this Special Combination Offer of Procter & Gamble Famous Soaps—Regular retail price 50c or more.

Do it at once! Again we say: The coupon is good wherever you live.

There is a Procter & Gamble Soap for every household need.



### Procter & Gamble Special Soap Certificate

Give this coupon to your grocer with 25c and he will give you the special combination offer of Procter & Gamble famous soaps, consisting of 2 cakes of P and G The White Naphtha Soap, 1 cake of Ivory Soap, 2 cakes of Star Soap, 1 Package of Ivory Soap Flakes and 1 package of Star Naphtha Washing Powder—ACTUAL VALUE, 50c or more.

ONLY ONE COUPON ACCEPTED FROM EACH FAMILY

Signature of Customer \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

TO THE GROCER: Our representative will redeem this coupon for the difference between 25c and the full retail value of the soap, provided you and the customer have complied with all the conditions of this offer.

*The Procter & Gamble Co.*

Grocer's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_



### You Get These:

- 2 - cakes P and G THE WHITE NAPHTHA SOAP  
This new idea soap has the double cleansing power of the best white laundry soap and dirt-moving naphtha soap. Washes clothes without rubbing and boiling. Saves your time and strength in all kinds of cleaning.
- 1 - cake IVORY SOAP (6 oz.)  
The purest, mildest, safest soap for toilet, shampoo, and daily bath. Ideal for fine laundry work.
- 2 - cakes STAR SOAP  
The soap that is famous for size and quality. Known everywhere as the biggest cake and best quality. Highest grade soap of the kind on the market. Makes clothes sweet and clean. Useful all over the house.
- 1 - pkg. IVORY SOAP FLAKES  
Snowlike flakes of genuine Ivory Soap for the safe, rubless hand laundering of silks, wools, and all fine fabrics. Cannot harm anything that water alone will not harm. Makes your pretty clothes last longer.
- 1 - pkg. STAR NAPHTHA WASHING POWDER (Small Size)  
The greatest help for very dirty washing or cleaning. Inferior powders are yellow, Star Naphtha Washing Powder is white.

Total Value . . . . 50c (or more)

You Pay Only . . . 25c

By using coupon  
**YOU SAVE at least 25c**

**CLIP COUPON NOW**

Only one coupon redeemed from each family.













## Today! Boys' One Trouser Suits at 1/2 Off

Many a mother has been waiting for this announcement. Now that it's come we urge that she be quick to act upon it. For the offering has three distinct advantages—that of reduced price, of careful tailoring and durable style.

The suits come in all-wool materials, norfolk styles, with clever patch pockets and inverted pleats—colors, brown, green, mixtures and grey. The new prices prove that the path to boy suit Economy most certainly leads direct to our door. Formerly \$12.50, \$15 and \$20, they're reduced to—

**\$6.25—\$7.50—\$10**

Those \$10 Overcoats for men—there are still a few of them left. Better be early!

**All Other Men's Suits and  
Overcoats Are Reduced  
1/3 and 1/2—Now \$15 to \$40**

**WrightMetzler Co.**

## Men's Hats \$1

The cream of clearance values—and they can drop no lower this year. Plenty of styles and sizes.

## Boys' Caps 49c

Winter caps, mostly dress or hockey styles. Some men's sizes are included. Former \$2 values.

## INCORPORATION OF LABOR UNIONS IS PROPOSED IN N. Y.

Bills to Be Introduced in the Legislature for That Purpose.

## AN INDUSTRIAL COURT

Is Proposed as a Means of Compelling Arbitration to Prevent Strikes and Lockouts; Attorney Samuel Untermyer, Known Here, Is Interested.

Bills proposing the incorporation of labor unions and the establishment of an industrial court in this state are reported to be in preparation for presentation to the legislature at Albany this month, says the New York correspondent of the Daily Metal Trade. If the present sentiment of the investigators who have been acquiring into the building situation in this city in the past several months prevails, these bills will receive the endorsement of the investigating committee and the sanction of its attorney, Samuel Untermyer, known in Fayette county as attorney for the J. V. Thompson Creditors' Committee.

The attorney has been somewhat cryptic regarding his personal stand on the proposed labor legislation as Mr. Untermyer has frequently, in the capacity of attorney, represented labor in important cases, whereas now he is in the position of a critic of labor. The building investigation for which Mr. Untermyer is attorney has unearthed numerous practices of the local labor bodies which are decidedly objectionable in the interest of the general public, and even Mr. Untermyer has been compelled by force of circumstances to serve notice upon the unions that either they reform or the state will be requested to enact the proposed legislation. This threat has been modified somewhat by a back-fire at the stock exchange and similar unincorporated bodies, the enemy of which Mr. Untermyer has been for many years.

State incorporation, it is believed, might make possible the suing of labor unions and thereby afford organizations of employers some means of compelling the unions to live up to the terms of wage and other agreements. In the past, when labor became scarce, unions have not always hesitated about calling strikes merely because wage agreements had not expired. It has frequently been contended that if labor unions were compelled to be incorporated many of the evils brought about largely by activities of unscrupulous labor leaders would be obviated. Thus a general charter should be required of unions also has been the contention in Washington, but the labor industries in congress has always been sufficiently strong to defeat these efforts.

In order to violate the advocacy of the incorporation law leaders among "federated" unions have been holding numerous conferences with Mr. Un-

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termyer and working out a revision of the by-laws of local unions and agreeing to numerous changes in union practices. Among these changes suggested is that apprentices up to 20 years of age be permitted. This was one of the important reforms demanded by Mr. Untermyer and one which the "federated" leaders have tentatively agreed to. Furthermore these leaders have agreed to make certain changes in their by-laws

## Sore Throat Wisdom

To relieve Sore Throat you must get at the cause of the disease, counteracting the cause. TONSILINE is prepared and sold for that purpose. A dose of TONSILINE taken upon the first appearance of Sore Throat may save long days of sickness. Use a little Sore Throat Remedy and buy a bottle of TONSILINE today. You may need it tomorrow. TONSILINE is the National Sore Throat Remedy—best known and most effective and most used. Look for the long necked fellow on the bottle when you go to the drug store to get it. Sec. 50c. Hospital Size \$1.00.

which were dictated to them by their national unions, expecting to obtain the sanction of the national unions to these changes at a later date. Leaders of the "federated" unions have announced with no undecided voice that union labor is opposed to the incorporation movement. If that bill be introduced in the legislature, the union officials state, it will start one of the biggest fights this state has witnessed in years. Such a bill, they claim, strikes at the root of the whole union question. With such a law on the books the state would have complete control of unions and could prescribe all rules and regulations of the unions. It is to check the movement for such a bill that the union leaders are now exhibiting a willingness to make compromises.

But this, it appears, is aside from the other demand that the state establish an industrial court. The labor leaders declare that such a bill is now being drafted, that they have been advised of it, but they refuse to state the authorship of the bill. At the same time the labor leaders have let it become known that they will oppose the establishment of an industrial court. It is said that the bill proposing the establishment of such a court will contain provisions for compulsory arbitration and forbid strikes and lockouts.

# WRIGHT-METZLER CO

Crawford Avenue

STORE NEWS

North Pittsburg Street

## A Sale of Over 400 Middies Gives Added Zest to the Sales of White

95c—\$1.95—\$2.95



The offering demonstrates the versatility of the Sale better than could any words of ours. School girl, pretty miss, housewife, grandmother—there's hardly a woman who cannot materially benefit by taking advantage of one or the other of the White Sale unparalleled values.

As for the middies themselves—they are the dream of a school girl's heart. Paul Jones and other good makes in all-white, all-blue or white trimmed, both collar and cuffs, with red, green and navy. They have distinctive emblems, of course, and are found in Palmer Linen, Linen and Lonsdale Jean—sizes 6 to 12 years. Original prices—\$1.25, \$2.95 to \$5.95 are reduced to 95c, \$1.95 and \$2.95.

Plenty of variety and style to choose from but we urge quick action on account of the unusually reasonable price.

## New Spring Wash Goods Are Included in Sale

They suggest—inspire the weather—the immediate planning of a Spring wardrobe and the incidental saving of a dollar or two.

32 inch Dress Gingham, in all the very newest Spring colorings and patterns are 45c to 50c yard.

36 inch La Chine, a beautiful voile like fabric, distinctly new, comes in a great color-faded colorings at 50c yard.

36 inch Petal Bloom, reminiscent of cotton fabric, is found in plain colors—coral, copper, green, brown, pink, etc.—is particularly fitted for jumpers and is priced 60c yard.

36 inch Albee Tissue, a sheer, long-weaving fabric in color combinations and checks is 50c yard.

32 inch Ginghamette (piece dyed) in navy blue, in rose, pomegranate, light and dark blue and white is 50c yard.

—Main Floor

## Unusual—A White Sale of Bathroom Fixtures!

No better day than this to quietly survey your bath room and determine whether it isn't time that the old towel racks, tumbler and tooth brush holders be replaced by bright new fixtures.

**All Fixtures Over \$2 are Reduced 20%; All Under \$2 Reduced 10%**

Towel bars, in nickel and white—soap dishes, tumbler holders—tooth brush holders, bath sprays—robe hooks—shelves of opal and plain glass, nickel match holders are included. Original prices 50c to \$6.00 are reduced 10% and 20% according to the ratio given.

Everything represented is guaranteed ware you may rely upon it to last for many a year. It's a splendid chance for all of us to brighten up an important corner in our homes.

—Store Downstairs

## Hand-Made Dresses For Small Tots \$6.85

As dainty as the delicate babies they were made for! You'll have a see them as sure as you are a doting mother! They make up a special purchase and are valued up to \$12.00 but when the White Sale Spirit wafted us wand the price immediately tumbled to \$6.85. You'll find them exquisite.

—Second Floor

And, of Course, Gold Bond Stamps Are Adding 4% to All These Savings.



## If It's a Blouse Your Search Ends Here

At 1/2 Price

A special group of Philippine and Porto Rican hand-made blouses, lightly muscled from handloom, some of which are trimmed with real fillet. Sizes 34 to 46 and priced \$2.98 to \$1.98.

At 98c—\$1.98—\$2.98

Fine white voile and batiste blouses, in the various accepted tailoring—as well adapted to mid-season as to spring wear. They were originally priced much more.

—Second Floor

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Admission 10c and 30c, Including War Tax.

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4 Cans California L. C. Peaches \$1.00  
4 Cans Hawaiian Pineapple - - \$1.00  
4 Cans California Apricots - - \$1.00  
3 Jars Red Raspberry and Strawberry Preserves - - - \$1.00  
9 Cans Brown Beauty Beans - \$1.00  
9 Cans Baked Beans - - - \$1.00  
10 Cans Tall Size Milk - - \$1.00  
10 Lbs. Good California Prunes \$1.00  
6 Lbs. Fancy Rio Coffee - - \$1.00

Procter and Gamble Soap Coupons will be redeemed at our store Saturday, February 4th.

## Special Friday and Saturday

2 Lb. Pail Simon Pure Lard - - 44c  
5 Lb. Pail Simon Pure Lard - \$1.24  
Chuck Roast, lb. - - - 15c  
Hamburger, lb. - - - 20c

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